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SUBJ: CHILEAN AMBASSADOR PLEDGES LOYALTY TO POPULAR GOVERNMENT

1. IN SEPT 14 PRESS CONFERENCE CHILEAN AMBASSADOR TO ZAMBIA HERNAN SAN MARTIN STATED HE DOES NOT RECOGNIZE NEW CHILE GOVERNMENT. MAINTAINED AS LONG AS HE HERE HIS EMBASSY WILL "REPRESENT LEGAL GOVERNMENT OF PEOPLE OF CHILE." DECLARED HE WOULD RETURN HOME TO FIGHT ALONGSIDE POPULAR MOVEMENT IF RESISTANCE BY WORKERS AND LOYAL MEMBERS OF ARMY DEFEATED BY JUNTA.

2. SAN MARTIN ACCUSED USG OF MASTERMINDING COUP. ALLEGED EMBASSY SANTIAGO COLLABORATED WITH OPPOSITION AND FASCIST MILITARY GROUPS. NOTING THERE WAS GROWING SUPPORT FOR ALLENDE'S POPULAR GOVERNMENT FROM INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY, SAN MARTIN SAID NON-ALIGNED NATIONS GROUP IS CONSIDERING SOME "CONCRETE ACTION" TO HELP CHILEANS FIGHT JUNTA.

3. SAN MARTIN ALSO ACCUSED JUNTA OF HAVING SHOT ALLENDE. CLAIMED ALLENDE WOULD NEVER HAVE COMMITTED SUICIDE. (TIMES OF ZAMBIA SEPT 16 CARRIED REUTERS ITEM DATED LINED MEXICO CITY REPORTING MRS. ALLENDE STATED HER HUSBAND KILLED HIMSELF.)NELSON

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